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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER, ART UNIT 2893**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Muller, K. Paul

Atty. Docket No.: Y0999-247DIV

Serial No.: 09/895,198

Group Art Unit: 2893

Filed: July 2, 2001

Examiner: Trinh, Hoa B.

For: **LATERAL PATTERNING**

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the After-Final Office Action dated **October 7, 2008**, setting a three-month statutory period for response, please consider this timely filed Amendment in the above-identified application as follows: